

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

At page 1, please add the following heading before the first paragraph:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

At page 2, please add the following heading after the second full paragraph:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

At page 5, please add the following heading after the second paragraph:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

At page 5, please add the following heading after the ninth paragraph:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

Please replace paragraph 2 on page 7 with the following amended paragraph:

Then, in method step c) mandrel 10 has to be cleaned by a cleaning chamber 14 in order to remove chemical contamination, dust and particles from the surface. In method step d) a reflective layer is deposited onto the curved surface of the mandrel, for example by evaporating or sputtering gold from a gold source 15. Other coating materials instead of high purity gold may also be employed. The reflective layer material may be optimized to ensure a maximum reflectivity in the desired operational wavelength range. The reflective layer indicated by reference numeral 26 (Figure 4) has preferably a thickness of several ten nanometers to several hundred nanometers.